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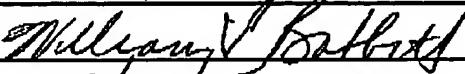
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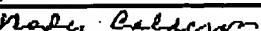
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1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	300	2203	100	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	300	2204	150	*Reissue independent claims over original patent
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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or cash
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
2063	130	2053	130	Non-English specification
1261	130	2251	80	Extension for reply within first month
1262	650	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month
1263	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month
1264	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month
1265	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1460	130	2450	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806	130	1806	130	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
1809	790	1809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR §
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STRUCTURES

Examiner: Thai, Luan C.

Art Unit 2891

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 31, 2005, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment.